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For: "Alpha-Hemoglobin )  
Stabilizing Protein )  
Transgenic Mouse and )  
Methods of Use Thereof" )

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Official Action dated May 6, 2005,  
please amend the above identified patent application as  
follows: